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In re Application of : Yoshihiro ISHIKAWA et al.
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Title : NEIGHBORING BASE STATION INFORMATION UPDATE METHOD,
INFORMATION MANAGEMENT METHOD FOR CELL SEARCH IN
MOBILE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM, CELL SEARCH METHOD OF
MOBILE STATION, MOBILE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM, MOBILE
STATION, BASE STATION AND CONTROL STATION

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please enter the following amendment prior to substantive examination of the application herein. The amendments of the claims are entered only for the purpose of reducing multiple dependent claim fees and administrative complexities associated therewith, and not for any purpose related to patentability. The amendments constitute a mere re-writing of the claims present in the application as originally filed, and add no new matter to the application.

In the Claims

In Claim 5, line 2, please delete "any one of claims 1 - 4," and insert in its place --claim 1,--.

In Claim 6, line 2, please delete "any one of claims 1 - 4," and insert in its place --claim 1,--.

In Claim 7, line 2, please delete "any one of claims 1 - 4," and insert in its place --claim 1,--.

In Claim 9, line 2, please delete "claim 5 - 8," and insert in its place --claims 5 - 7,--.